Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 02 May 2022 until 23:59 on Tuesday 03 May 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 02 May 2022 at 02:59

Confidence: High confidence for mild, cloudy conditions through the first half of the week. Moderate to poor confidence for the precipitation detail. Moderate confidence for warmer, drier and brighter conditions towards next weekend.

Headline for Monday 02 May 2022: Cloudy, murky and damp start. Turning drier and a little brighter later.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 02 May 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Fog	Fog	Mist	Light rain showers	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
20%	20%	20%	30%	20%	20%

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Weather: An overcast start with extensive low cloud covering hills and a chance of light rain or drizzle. Cloud lifting into the afternoon and turning drier and somewhat brighter with a chance of some sunny intervals. Isolated showers still possible though.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 10% chance at first, but cloud bases steadily increasing such that there is a 70% chance by the afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Broken low cloud at first with bases 400-700m, becoming scattered amounts into the afternoon with bases 900-1200m. Outside of cloud visibilities will be good or very good, but locally moderate in any rain or showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/7 E	3/5 NE	5/9 NW	6/10 N	5/7 N	4/6 N	4/5 E
600	3/4 S	4/6 N	6/9 NW	6/9 N	5/8 N	3/5 NE	3/5 SE
300	1/2 SE	3/6 N	5/9 NW	5/9 N	4/7 N	2/4 E	2/3 E
Valley	1/2 S	4/6 N	6/10 N	5/8 N	4/7 N	2/3 E	2/4 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	5/3	6/5	7/6	7/5	7/6	6/5	6/4
600	7/6	8/7	9/8	9/8	9/8	8/7	7/6
300	8/8	10/10	12/11	12/11	12/11	9/9	8/8
Valley	9/9	11/10	12/12	12/11	12/11	10/9	9/8
Freezing Level*	1700m	1700m	1800m	2000m	1900m	1800m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Winds will be light and variable throughout the day, so the above directions should not be taken too literally. The sun will produce moderate to high levels of UV at this time of the year, so sun cream will be required, especially through the afternoon if any prolonged breaks do develop.

Forecast for Tuesday 03 May 2022

Weather: Some valley mist and low cloud at first on Tuesday. Otherwise and fine day with sunny spells and an isolated afternoon shower possible.

Maximum wind: Generally variable with a max of 10-15mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%

Low Cloud and visibility: Some patchy low cloud at first with a little valley mist soon lifting. Otherwise, cloud free tops and good visibility.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 5 Celsius increasing Plus 7 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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